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INFO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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SUBJECT: CAYAR REFINERY PROJECT

1. DAVID MORSE REPORTS THAT DURING VISIT TO IRAN ON ANOTHER MATTER HE SPOKE MAY 12 WITH PM HOVEYDA AND MAY 15 WITH MINPLAN MAJIDI ABOUT PROPOSED CAYAR OIL REFINERY NORTH OF DAKAR. MORSE BELIEVES IRANIANS HAVE NOT REJECTED PROJECT, RATHER THEY CORRECTLY POINTED OUT TO GOS LAST FEBRUARY IN DAKAR THAT NUMBER OF TECHNICAL PROBLEMS MUST BE RESOLVED BEFORE GOI CAN MAKE COMMITMENTS. GOS HAS HIRED DAVID FRANKLE, FRIEND OF JOSEPH GOLAN AND ALLEGEDLY FORMER VENEZUELAN PETROLEUM OFFICIAL OR CONSULTANT, AS ITS TECHNICAL ADVISOR. MAJIDI TOLD MORSE HE HAS CONFIDENCE IN FRANKLE, AND BOTH MAJIDI AND HOVEYDA GAVE MORSE IMPRESSION THEY COMMITTED TO PROJECT FOR POLITICAL REASONS. MOREOVER, IRANIANS WANT SENEGALESE PHOSPHATE, AND DEAL MAY INVOLVE GOS COMMITMENT TO SUPPLY SOME AMOUNT OF SENEGALESE OUTPUT TO IRAN.

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2. MORSE SAID PM DIOUF INTENDS VISIT TEHRAN NEXT JULY IN

ANOTHER ATTEMPT GET IRANIAN AGREEMENT ON PROJECT, AND MEAN-
WHILE FRANKLE IS REPORTING TO MININDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
ALEXANDRENNE AND MINPLAN AND COOPERATION SECT. MORSE
HANDLING HIS FIRM'S INVOLVEMENT THROUGH HIS ASSOCIATES
BRYAN FIX AND SAM GOSHEN IN PARIS. KISSINGER

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